On December 16, 2015, Energy Commission staff held a webinar to provide an overview of the New Solar Homes Partnership (NSHP) Program and the Energy Commission's request to the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) for additional program funding.

During the Webinar the following questions were asked:

How long will the CEC continue to maintain the list of eligible solar equipment? Answer: At this time, the Energy Commission intends to maintain the eligible equipment lists until the sunset date of the New Solar Homes Partnership Program, which is December 31, 2021.

Only one comment was submitted after the webinar ended. The email by Chad Worth, with Energy Solutions asked:

With the upcoming Smart Inverter requirements coming up, is the CEC planning on modifying the criteria for inverters on the list?

Answer: The California Energy Commission is monitoring the proceeding and would consider any changes to the inverter criteria that might be needed as a result of decisions made in that proceeding through a public process.